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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

MARTHA BERNDT, MARTA HASTINGS,)
 JUDY LONGO, LINDA SCOTT, et al.,)
)
 Plaintiffs,)
 v.)
)
 CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF)
 CORRECTIONS, et al.,)
)
 Defendants.)

No. C03-3174 VRW

**STIPULATION AND ~~PROPOSED~~
 ORDER TO ENLARGE TIME TO
 FILE PLAINTIFFS' REPLY BRIEF IN
 SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFFS' MOTION
 FOR CLASS CERTIFICATION**

The parties to the above-entitled action hereby stipulate to extend the time for Plaintiffs to file their Reply Brief in Support of Plaintiffs' Motion for Class Certification from January 25, 2010, to February 1, 2010. Good cause exists for this Stipulation because a recent series of storms that have gone through the Bay Area has had a serious detrimental effect on Plaintiffs' counsels' ability to prepare their reply brief. Attorney Charles S. Ralston, the primary author of Plaintiffs' Reply Brief, has experienced several power outages in his area, including an extended power outage that began Thursday, January 21, 2010 and lasted through Saturday, January 23, 2010. As a result of the power outage, Attorney Ralston lost access to his computer and files and was unable to work on the brief at all. Since the hearing date has been vacated, all counsel agree that there is no prejudice to any of the parties if Plaintiffs file their reply brief on Monday, February 1, 2010.

DATED: January 25, 2010

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ORDER

PURSUANT TO THE STIPULATION OF THE PARTIES, Plaintiffs' Reply Brief in Support of Plaintiffs' Motion for Class Certification currently due on January 25, 2010 shall be filed on or before February 1, 2010. **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: 2/1/2010

HON. VAUGHN R. WALKER
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

